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PATENT APPLICATION

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of:)
Yuichi IKEDA, et al.) : Examiner: C. Kronenthal
Application No.: 09/982,177) : Group Art Unit: 2623
Filed: October 19, 2001) :
For: DATA PROCESSING SYSTEM,) March 8, 2005
MAINTENANCE APPARATUS :
AND IMAGE PROCESSING)
APPARATUS :
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Commissioner for Patents
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AMENDMENT

Sir:

In response to the Office Action dated December 8, 2004, please amend the application as follows: